Amendments to the Claims:

This listing of claims will replace all prior versions, and listings, of claims in the application:

Listing of Claims:

1-29. (canceled)

30. (new) A storage system, comprising:

a first storage device coupled to an information processing device having a first controller and a plurality of first disk drives;

said first controller controlling to store data received from said information processing device in said first disk drives and receiving a command, said command being used to request a status of a first logical volume in a second storage device from said information processing device to said second storage device, and transferring said command to said second storage device;

said second storage device coupled to said first storage device having a second controller and a plurality of second disk drives, said second disk drives being corresponding to a plurality of logical volumes which have said first logical volume; and

said second controller controlling to store data in said second disk drives receiving said command from said first storage device and replying said status of said first logical volume to said information processing device via said first storage device in response to said command.

31. (new) A storage system according to claim 30, wherein:

said status of said first logical volume is information of relationship with said first logical volume and an second logical volume in said second storage device.

32. (new) A storage system according to claim 30, wherein:

said status of said first logical volume is whether it is under copying data from said first logical volume to an second logical volume in said second storage device or not.

33. (new) A storage system according to claim 30, wherein:

said status of said first logical volume is whether it is under restoring data from said first logical volume to an second logical volume in said second storage device or not.

34. (new) A storage system according to claim 30, wherein:

said status of said first logical volume is information of relationship between said first logical volume and an third logical volume in said first storage device.

35. (new) A storage system according to claim 30, wherein:

said status of said first logical volume is whether it is under copying data from an third logical volume in said first storage device to said first logical volume or not.

36. (new) A storage system according to claim 30, wherein:

said status of said first logical volume is whether it is under copying data from said first logical volume to an third logical volume in said first storage device or not.

37. (new) A storage system according to claim 30, wherein:

said status of said first logical volume has information of a plurality of regions in said first logical volume.

38. (new) A storage system according to claim 30, wherein:

said status of said first logical volume has information of a regions stored data which will be copied from said first logical volume to an second logical volume in said second storage device.

39. (new) A storage system according to claim 30, wherein:

said status of said first logical volume has information of a regions stored data which will be restored from said first logical volume to an second logical volume in said second storage device.

40. (new) A storage system according to claim 30, wherein:

said status of said first logical volume has information of a regions stored data which will be copied from an third logical volume in said first storage device to said first logical volume.

41. (new) A storage system according to claim 30, wherein:

said status of said first logical volume has information of a regions stored data which will be copied from said first logical volume to an third logical volume in said first storage device.

42. (new) A storage system according to claim 30, wherein:

said first controller transfers said command to said second storage device based on contents of said command.

43. (new) A storage system according to claim 30, wherein:

said first controller provides a fourth logical volume to said information processing device, said fourth logical volume is used to control said first storage device by said information processing device; and

said first controller transfers said command to said second storage device based on contents of said command sent from said information processing device to said fourth logical volume.

44. (new) A storage system according to claim 30, wherein:

said first controller provides a fifth logical volume to said information processing device, said fifth logical volume is corresponding to a sixth logical volume in said second storage device; and

said first controller transfers said command to said sixth logical volume if said fifth logical volume is addressed in said command sent from said information processing device.

45. (new) A storage system according to claim 30, wherein:

said first command has information which is used to identify said first logical volume from said logical volumes.

46. (new) A storage system according to claim 30, wherein:

each of said logical volumes has a logical unit number which is used to identify a logical volume from said logical volumes; and

said first command has information of a plurality of said logical unit number.

47. (new) A storage system according to claim 30, wherein:

said first controller executes contents of said first command if said first command does not have information of said second storage device to be transferred.

48.(new) A storage system, comprising:

a first storage device coupled to an information processing device having a plurality of first disk drives;

a first controller controlling to store data received from said information processing device in said first disk drives and receiving a command, said command being used to request a status of a first logical volume from said information processing device, and transferring said command;

a second storage device coupled to said first storage device having a plurality of second disk drives, said second disk drives being corresponding to a plurality of logical volumes which have said first logical volume; and

a second controller controlling to store data in said second disk drives receiving said command from said first storage device and replying said status of said first logical volume.